A

RETURN OF OUTRAGES

REPORTED BY

THE CONSTABULARY IN IRELAND

DURING

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DURING

Each Month of the Year 1842;

AND

For the Months of January, February, and March, 1843.

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RETURN of OUTRAGES specially reported to the CONSTABULARY OFFICE

YEARS.	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.																				OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.																
	Homicide.*	Firing at the Person.	Conspiracy to Murder.	Assault with intent to Murder.	Administering Poison.	Rape.	Assault, with intent to commit a Rape.	Infanticide.	Abduction.	Assault on Police.	Aggravated Assault.	Assault endangering Life.	Assault, with intent to Rob.	Assault on Bailiffs or Process Servers.	Cutting or Maiming the Person.	Desertion of Children.	Assault on a Magistrate.	Manslaughter.	Concealing Birth.	Assault.	Incendiary Fire.	Burglary.	Attempt at Burglary.	Housebreaking.	Highway Robbery.	Robbery.	Robbery of Ammunition.	Attempt at Robbery.	Taking and holding forcible Possession.	Cattle Stealing.	Illegal Shearing of Sheep.	Killing, Cutting, or Maiming Cattle.	Plundering Wrecks.	Sacrilege.	Robbery of Mail.	Injury of Property.	Embezzlement
1837	230	91	..	5	1	81	20	84	16	91	924	..	8	26	12	38	1	..	..	..	453	158	..	..	..	725	..	..	22	321	133	393	2	36	3	617	..
1838	247	48	3	5	3	93	25	66	24	89	658	154	10	19	17	11	2	..	..	..	459	120	..	..	97	299	..	..	22	273	108	298	..	31	3	311	..
1839	190	56	3	4	4	87	41	108	17	96	486	300	6	9	27	16	..	..	..	..	413	136	..	..	97	277	..	..	19	293	109	433	2	25	..	350	..
1840	125	42	5	7	3	76	25	104	25	49	364	194	11	6	21	29	..	..	..	..	420	175	..	..	99	350	..	..	5	528	121	282	..	13	1	255	..
1841	105	66	2	5	2	107	35	104	22	58	542	221	10	3	35	64	..	2	14	19	390	186	3	7	77	257	1	5	18	611	84	213	..	12	..	317	1

* Homicide by Maniacs not included.

The Outrages included in this Return were all, as the Heading implies, specially reported in detail to this Office, at or about the time of their occurrence. Besides these Reports, the Constabulary Officers transmit a Monthly classified Return of Minor Offences brought before the Magistrates in Petty Sessions, of which no special Report had been made. It is found, notwithstanding the utmost efforts to ensure a Report of every Outrage, that a few of the more serious Offences, not specially reported, appear for the first time in the Monthly Returns referred to. In order that such cases may not be lost sight of, it has been the practice, during the past year, to restate them at the foot of the Monthly Returns of Outrages specially reported; although they cannot be included in the totals of those Returns, both because they were not specially reported, and because their amalgamation with the others would vitiate comparisons with former years. A reference to the Monthly Returns of serious Outrages will show what is meant; by which also it will be seen that the number of the Cases referred to has gradually diminished, which implies a greater attention on the part of the Constabulary, to the duty of immediately reporting *all* Outrages.

The following is a Summary of the Cases referred to for the Year 1841:—

Housebreaking	47
Robbery	170
Cattle Stealing	185
Administering Unlawful Oaths .	2
Aggravated Assaults . . .	162
Rape	45

With regard to the above Return, it will be observed, that although the number of Homicides continues to diminish, the general amount of Crime during the past year is larger than in 1840. The excitement occasioned by the late

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during each of the Years 1837, 1838, 1839, 1840, and 1841.

OFFENCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC PEACE.																											OTHER OFFENCES.									
Demand or Robbery of Arms.	Attempt at Robbery of Arms.	Appearing Armed.	Faction Fight.	Party Fight.	Riot.	Administering Unlawful Oaths.	Threatening Notices or Letters.	Pound Breach.	Turning up Land.	Attacking Houses.	Rescuing Prisoners.	Resistance to Legal Process.	Illegal Meetings or Processions.	Levelling.	Attempt at Levelling.	Rescue of Property.	Attempt at Rescue of Property.	Rescuing the Police.	Firing into Dwellings.	Injury to Places of Worship.	Duels.	Attack on Police Barrack.	Whiteboy Offences.	Party Demonstrations.	Combinations.	Coining.	Prison Breaking; and Aiding the Escape of Prisoners.	Forgery, or Passing Forged Notes.	Uttering Base Coin.	Threatening Notices on one occasion.	Conspiracy to Commit a Felony.	Bigamy.	Total.
246	..	110	18	..	157	69	685	33	17	606	34	80	68	78	..	38	..	..	21	19	3	3	6	..	2	3	..	7	1	..	..	..	6,775
179	..	46	14	..	121	53	417	20	8	330	20	47	81	46	..	6	..	..	23	22	..	1	..	..	6	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	4,945
180	..	57	20	..	85	65	513	22	12	280	10	41	65	55	..	7	..	..	65	12	..	..	..	..	5	2	10	..	..	..	..	..	5,039
177	..	41	4	..	58	49	453	21	9	229	4	41	21	46	..	13	..	..	68	7	..	2	2	..	7	3	11	2	..	23	..	..	4,626
111	2	66	8	2	113	60	752	15	4	295	..	37	75	54	1	17	1	2	71	11	..	..	..	18	25	1	9	3	2	..	1	1	5,361

General Election has been the evident cause of this. For, as will be seen by reference to the following statement, the increase is confined to the six Months subsequent to the period of the Election, the difference between the Number of Outrages in those Months respectively, and those of the corresponding Months of the previous Year becoming less, as the period of the Election becomes more remote.

	1841	1840
July . .	709	403
August . .	483	336
September .	423	268
October . .	382	351
November .	384	301
December .	532	414
	2,913	2,073

Increase upon the last Six Months . 840

Total Offences, 1841 . 5,360
Do. 1840 . 4,626

Increase upon the Year . . . 734

It thus appears that the increase upon the Year is entirely chargeable to the last Six Months, and that in the first Six Months of the Year there had been an actual decrease in the amount of Crime, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous Year.

D. M'GREGOR, Inspector-General.

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RETURN of OUTRAGES specially reported to the

MONTHS.	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON. Homicide.	Firing at the Person	Conspiracy to Murder	Assault with intent to Murder	Administering Poisons	Rape	Assault with intent to commit a Rape	Infanticide	Abduction	Assault on Police.	Aggravated Assault.	Assault endangering Life.	Assault with intent to Rob.	Assault on Bailiffs or Process Servers.	Cutting or Maiming the Person.	Abortion of Children.	Concealing Birth.	Assault.	Brutality.	Assault on Coast Guard	Manslaughter.	OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY. Incendiary Fire.	Burglary and Housebreaking	Highway Robbery.	Robbery.	Taking and holding Double Poaching	Cattle Stealing	Illegal Shooting of Sheep.	Killing, Cutting, or Maiming Cattle.	Sacrilege.	Attempts at Robbery
1842.																															
January	9	8		..	..	18	4	9	3	8	34	23	1	..	3	12	1	..	..	..	..	30	37	17	30	..	73	7	15	1	
February	5	8	1	..	..	3	5	6	8	3	42	33	..	2	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	32	42	7	40	1	99	18	14	1	1
March	4	5		..	..	8	2	13	..	5	42	17	..	..	2	13	1	1	..	..	..	24	48	5	38	2	76	18	29	4	
April	18	4	..	..	..	13	4	14	2	3	24	32	1	..	1	6	2	2	..	..	..	71	16	8	30	1	80	29	8	6	
May	13	8		1	..	6	5	15	..	9	29	19	..	..	..	6	3	5	..	..	..	75	14	4	25	1	80	20	21	13	
June	6	8	..	..	..	14	5	13	..	6	34	16	..	..	3	20	3	1	..	..	..	55	71	14	31	1	166	15	34	11	
July	5	7	..	1	..	6	3	8	..	6	26	15	..	..	1	21	4	..	..	..	..	37	48	5	34	..	157	..	37	6	
August	14	8	1	1	..	13	4	7	2	1	27	18	..	..	1	11	2	..	1	..	..	35	29	7	28	4	73	..	31	3	1
September	4	8		..	..	11	4	13	..	5	31	17	..	1	1	11	6	1	1	..	..	44	29	6	29	4	86	3	20		
October	6	9	..	..	1	10	5	13	..	2	30	17	1	..	..	11	1	..	..	1	..	33	24	14	17	..	73	4	36	1	
November	3	8	1	..	..	6	1	13	1	3	40	31	..	1	3	13	1	..	..	..	..	37	28	8	18	1	58	4	16		
December	5	9	2	..	1	8	8	6	1	5	46	23	5	..	3	16	1	1	..	..	..	28	40	9	24	1	118	6	14	1	
	98	74	4	3	2	104	44	107	14	54	424	263	8	4	15	145	25	11	2	1		521	415	105	332	15	1002	105	266	38	3
Deduct	*2			..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	14		..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..		
Add	†11	..				..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Year 1842	106	74	4	3	2	104	44	107	14	54	420	249	8	4	17	143	25	11	2	1		521	415	105	332	15	1001	105	266	38	3
Year 1841	101	86	2	5	3	107	35	104	12	58	440	221	10	2	35	64	14	10			2	390	194	77	287	18	811	84	213	13	3

* Committed by Madness.

† This number is made up of those marked thus, in which Cases the Outrages terminated in Death, and are added to the number of Homicides.

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...Constabulary Office during each Month of the Year 1842

	Property: Attempt at Highway Robbery	Plundering Provisions	Highway Robbery	Robbery of Ammunition	Embezzlement	Offences affecting the Public Peace: Demand or Robbery of Arms	Attempt at Ditto	Appearing Armed	Faction Fight	Party Fight	Riots and Affrays	Administering Unlawful Oaths	Threatening Notices or Letters	Pound Breach	Turning up Land	Attacking Houses	Rescuing Prisoners	Resistance to Legal Process	Illegal Meetings or Processions	Levelling	Attempt at Levelling	Injury to Property	Firing into Dwellings	Injury to Places of Worship	Rescue of Distrained Property	Rescuing Police	Party Demonstrations	Attempt at Rescue of Property	Other Offences: Combination	Coining and uttering base Coin	Prison Breaking, and Aiding the Escape of Prisoners	Forgery or passing Forged Notes	Perjury	Bigamy	Conspiracy to commit a Felony	Total.
						19		6	3		2	3	61	1	.	37	.	2	2	4	.	19	6		..		.		1		1	..	..	.		491
						13		8	.		3	4	67	.	1	47	1	2	..	6		19	6	1	1	.				1	1	1				511
						5	1	4	.	.	12	3	78	1	3	37	..	2	5	9	.	27	9	.	1	..	..			1	1	1				636
						14	1	2		.	6	8	83	4	3	36	1	4	1	7	.	31	20	1	3		.			.			1			684
						16		4	2	1	8	1	128	6	..	19	..	6	2	5	..	13	8	2	1	1		.	3	..	..	.	1			589
						20		6	1	..	16	12	81	1	.	81	1	1	1	3	..	55	8	1	1	.	.		.		..	1	.	1		796
						14		3	.		9	.	67	5		17	..	6	26	7	.	16	6	.			26		.		1					621
						11		6	.		6	1	35	1	..	18	1	6	2	4	.	27	4	..	.	.	.			.	1	2	..			458
						6		4	1	2	4	1	65	4	..	17	1	6	.	4	..	23	7	1	11	.	.		.	1	1	.		.		454
						6		6	.		6	8	64		..	14		17	1	1	..	27	16	2	5	..	.	.	1		1	1	.	..		477
						18		4	.	.	4	20	26	1	..	19		9	1	3	.	21	3	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	..					417
						20		4	1		7	4	96	4	..	26	.	7	3	6	.	24	5	2	6	.			2	1	..	1				656
		136	1			163	2	55	6	2	78	51	848	26	7	333	5	71	45	47	..	304	89	12	30	1	22		10	4	7	8	2	1		6,441
						2	.	.		.	.		..	.	..	13	..	.	..	..	..		.	..	..	.			.		..		.			Deduct 17
						.	..	.		..	.		.	.	..		.				.					.			.		..		.			Add 11
		136	1			164	2	65	6	3	78	51	855	26	7	337	5	71	45	47	.	304	89	12	30	1	22		14	4	7	8	2	1		6,431
				1	1	111	2	66	8	2	113	60	752	16	4	295	6	37	75	54	1	617	71	11	17	2	10	1	25	3	6	2		1	1	5,369

D. M'GREGOR, Inspector-General

Return of Outrages reported to the Constabulary Office, &c. 1842—*continued.*

The following were not specially reported, but were disposed of by the Magistrates :—

	1842	1841
Housebreaking	3	47
Robbery	11	170
Cattle Stealing	29	185
Cattle Killing	2	—
Administering Unlawful Oaths	—	2
Aggravated Assaults	3	162
Rape	4	45
Combination	1	—
Abduction	1	—
	54	611

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RETURN OF OUTRAGES

SPECIALLY REPORTED TO THE CONSTABULARY OFFICE

DURING

The Month of January 1843.

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JANUARY 1843.

COUNTIES.	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.														OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.								
	Homicide.*	Firing at the Person.	Rape.	Assault with Intent to commit a Rape.	Infanticide.	Abduction.	Assault on Police.	Aggravated Assault.	Assault endangering Life.	Assault on Bailiffs or Process-servers.	Cutting or maiming the Person.	Desertion of Children.	Concealing Birth.	Assault.	Incendiary Fire.	Burglary and House-breaking.	Highway Robbery.	Robbery.	Taking and holding forcible Possession.	Cattle Stealing.	Illegal shearing of Sheep.	Killing, cutting, or maiming Cattle.	Poisonings.
ULSTER:																							
Antrim	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..
Armagh	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Cavan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Donegal	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Down	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Fermanagh	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Londonderry	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Monaghan	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	3	..	1	..	..	..
Tyrone	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
LEINSTER:																							
Carlow	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..
Dublin	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	2	..	..	1
Kildare	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Kilkenny	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..
King's	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Longford	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Louth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Meath	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	..	..
Queen's	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westmeath	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	1	..
Wexford	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Wicklow	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..
CONNAUGHT:																							
Clare	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	2	..	..	5	1	..	..
Galway	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	5	..	2	..	4	6	..	..
Leitrim	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Mayo	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Roscommon	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..
Sligo	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
MUNSTER:																							
Cork { County	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	5	5	4	..
Cork { City	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kerry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
Limerick { County	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	1	2	..	..	..
Limerick { City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tipperary	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	9	3	..	..	2	..	..	3	1	2	3	..	7	..	1	..
Waterford { County	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	..
Waterford { City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	13	8	12	3	8	3	1	44	18	1	3	13	5	1	39	36	12	15	2	72	14	8	2

* For the Particulars of these Homicides, *see* Page 24.—During this Month there have been Three Deaths resulting from Violence formerly recorded as follows, viz.:—2 "Firing at the Person;" 1 "Assault endangering Life."

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JANUARY 1843.

OFFENCES.	Demand or Robbery of Arms.	Appearing Armed.	Faction Fight.	Riot.	Administering Unlawful Oaths.	Threatening Notices or Letters.	Pound-breach.	Attacking Houses.	Rescuing Prisoners.	Resistance to Legal Process.	Illegal Meetings or Processions.	Levelling.	Injury to Property.	Firing into Dwellings.	Injury to Places of Worship.	Coining.	Prison-breaking, or Aiding the Escape of Prisoners.	Total Offences in each County.	Present Month.	Past Month.	Corresponding Month last Year.
Offences against the Person.																					
Homicide *	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	16	13	5	9
Firing at the Person	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	5	9	6
Conspiracy to Murder	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	..
Administering Poison	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	1	..
Rape	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7	12	6	12
Assault, with intent to commit a Rape	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	12	3	2	4
Infanticide	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	9	8	9	9
Abduction	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	1	3
Assault on Police	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	1	5	6
Aggravated Assault	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	7	44	46	34
Assault endangering Life	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	12	18	35	23
Assault with Intent to Rob	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	5	1
Assault on Bailiffs or Process-servers	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	1	..	..
Cutting or Maiming the Person	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	5	3	3	3
Desertion of Children	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	13	12	12
Concealing Birth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	5	1	1
Assaults	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	1	1	..
Offences against Property.																					
Incendiary Fire	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	39	28	30
Burglary and House-breaking	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	9	36	40	35
Highway Robbery	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	15	12	9	17
Robbery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	15	24	33
Taking and holding forcible Possession	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	2	1	..
Cattle stealing	5	..	..	..	1	6	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	17	72	118	73
Illegal shearing of Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	13	14	2	7
Killing, Cutting, or Maiming Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	9	8	14	12
Sacrilege	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	10	2	1	2
Mail Robbery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	..
Offences affecting the Public Peace.																					
Demand or Robbery of Arms	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	14	20	18
Appearing armed	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	17	4	4	6
Faction Fight	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	1	1	3
Riot	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	4	7	2
Administering unlawful Oaths	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	3	4	3
Threatening Notices or Letters	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	13	87	89	51
Pound-breach	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	9	3	4	1
Attacking Houses	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	25	25	37
Rescuing Prisoners	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..
Resistance to Legal Process	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	23	5	7	2
Illegal Meetings or Processions	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	8	3	3	2
Levelling	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	13	7	5	4
Injury to Property	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	21	26	29	19
Firing into Dwellings	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	10	8	9
Injury to Places of Worship	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	11	1	2	..
Rescue of Distrained Property	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	15	..	6	..
Other Offences.																					
Combination	5	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	2	1
Coining	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	18	1	..	..
Prison-breaking, or aiding the Escape of Prisoners	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	1	..	1
Forgery, or passing Forged Notes	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	..
Uttering Base Coin	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	13	..	1	..
GENERAL TOTAL	14	4	1	4	3	87	3	25	1	8	3	7	26	10	1	1	1	532	532	598	491

In addition to the Outrages above enumerated, a Monthly Return is made to the Constabulary Office of Offences or alleged Offences brought before the Magistrates, and by them disposed of or sent for Trial at Assizes or Quarter Sessions. As some of these are of the same description as those specially reported, a List of Cases thus disposed of during the preceding Month is subjoined.

	Dec. 1842
Housebreaking	..
Robbery	2
Cattle-stealing	..
Cattle-killing	..
Administering unlawful Oaths	..
Aggravated Assaults	..
Rape	..
Combination	..

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January 1843—*continued.*

DETAILS OF HOMICIDES CONTAINED IN THE PRECEDING RETURN.

COUNTY.	Date of Occurrence.	Name of Sufferer.	Offenders Arrested, or otherwise.	NATURE of HOMICIDE, and CAUSE assigned for its COMMISSION.
Wexford . . .	1842. 31st December	Ellen Leary . . .	Unknown .	This Woman's Death was the Result of Injuries inflicted on her Head. Suspicion is attached to her Servant Woman, who was on Terms of improper Intimacy with Deceased's Husband.
Kilkenny . . .	31st ,,	Mr. Richard Murphy	Unknown .	Wilful Murder. Death was caused by a Gun-shot Wound. Murphy, who was Steward to General Kearney, it is stated, had a great Difference with some of the Workmen.
Tipperary . . .	1843. 4th January .	Philip Maher . .	Principals arrested.	Maher received the Injuries of which he died in a Riot arising out of the Sale of Cattle which had been seized for Rent.
Cork, City. . .	5th ,,	John Burns . . .	Unknown .	Burn's Death was the Result of a Blow he received in a drunken Riot, in which it appears he was the principal Aggressor.
Limerick . . .	4th ,,	Pierce M'Inerny .	3 arrested .	Death was caused by a Blow of a Stone received in a Riot. Deceased was Caretaker to a Widow who was in a dying State, and her Property was in dispute between her Relatives, who assembled to take forcible possession of it.
Down	6th ,,	Alexander Stewart .	Unknown .	Stewart received Injuries on the Head while intoxicated, which caused his Death. No Cause but Intoxication assigned.
Antrim . . .	8th ,,	Margaret M'Clarnon	Arrested .	The Deceased, who was 90 Years old, received Injuries from her Brother, aged 64, which caused her Death. No Cause assigned.
Galway. . . .	8th ,,	James Patton . .	1 arrested .	Patton was waylaid on his Return from a Fair by a Party of Men, and beaten, so that he died in a few days after. A Faction Quarrel is the Cause assigned.
Roscommon. . .	11th ,,	Honor Jones. . .	Arrested .	Wilful Murder, committed by the Deceased's Husband, who surrendered himself after the Act was perpetrated. Jealousy is the assigned Cause.
Tipperary . . .	12th ,,	Thomas Murnane .	Arrested .	Wilful Murder. The Deceased was reputedly the Murderer of the Father of Three Persons named Burke, who are now charged with this Homicide. (Burke's Murder was committed in 1836, at the same Hour on which Murnane was killed, and within 40 Feet of the same Place.)
Antrim. . . .	16th ,,	Alexander Drennan.	Arrested .	The Deceased, who was working in Belfast Dock-yard, was thrown off a Scaffold, and killed by the Fall. No Motive assigned.
Tipperary . . .	18th ,,	Rody Monahan . .	Absconded	Monahan's Death was the Result of Injuries inflicted in consequence of a Dispute respecting a Blackbird.
Queen's . . .	22nd ,,	Mr. George White .	Unknown .	Wilful Murder, caused by a Gun-shot Wound received near Two Months prior to his Death. The Deceased, it is stated, was the last Life in some old Leases, and the Tenants, as alleged, were anxious for his Death.
Antrim. . . .	23rd ,,	John Lamont . .	Principal arrested.	Wilful Murder, committed in consequence of the Deceased having killed a Game Cock belonging to the accused Parties.
Cork	22nd ,,	William Hennessy .	Arrested .	Hennessy's Death was caused by being twice struck on the Head with Stones, all the Parties being at the Time intoxicated. There was nothing premeditated in this Case.
Tipperary . . .	25th ,,	Redmond Slattery .	Unknown .	Wilful Murder. A Party of Men were in search of Decrees obtained by a Man named Neil against Persons in the Country, and as Slattery going to his Door to look at them, contrary to their Orders, he was fired at, and Two Balls were lodged in his Chest.

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RETURN OF OUTRAGES

REPORTED BY THE CONSTABULARY IN IRELAND,

For the Month of February 1843.

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FEBRUARY 1843.

COUNTIES.	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.														OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.							
	Homicide.	Firing at the Person.	Rape.	Assault with Intent to commit a Rape.	Infanticide.	Abduction.	Assault on Police.	Aggravated Assault.	Assault endangering Life.	Assault with Intent to rob.	Cutting or maiming the Person.	Desertion of Children.	Concealing Birth.	Assault.	Incendiary Fire.	Burglary and House-breaking.	Highway Robbery.	Robbery.	Taking and holding forcible Possession.	Cattle Stealing.	Illegal shearing of Sheep.	Killing, cutting, or maiming Cattle.
ULSTER:—																						
Antrim	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Armagh	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Cavan	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Donegal	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Down	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fermanagh	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	..
Londonderry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Monaghan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Tyrone	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
LEINSTER:—																						
Carlow	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dublin	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	2	..	1	..	..
Kildare	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..
Kilkenny	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	7	..	1
King's	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..
Longford	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..
Louth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	..	..
Meath	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..
Queen's	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..
Westmeath	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Wexford	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..
Wicklow	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..
CONNAUGHT:—																						
Clare	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Galway	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	3	1	..
Leitrim	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	3	..	1
Mayo	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	2	5	..
Roscommon	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	4	..	..
Sligo	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..
MUNSTER:—																						
Cork, County	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	5	..	..
Cork, City	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kerry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..
Limerick, County	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	2	..	..
Limerick, City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tipperary	1	3	..	1	3	1	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	2	1	6	..	4	1	1
Waterford, County	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	10	..	3
Waterford, City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	5	7	11	5	16	4	1	34	17	1	4	6	2	1	38	24	8	18	1	70	13	7

* For the Particulars of these Homicides, *see* Page 28 of this Return. There has been in this Month One Death resulting from Violence, formerly recorded as an "Assault endangering Life," which is not included in this Return.

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FEBRUARY 1843.

OFFENCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC PEACE.															Other Offences.		Total Offences in each County.
Demand of the Arms.	Appearing armed.	Riot.	Administering unlawful Oaths.	Threatening Notices or Letters.	Pound-breach.	Attacking Houses.	Resistance to Legal Process.	Illegal Meetings or Processions.	Levelling.	Injury to Property.	Firing into Dwellings.	Injury to Places of Worship.	Firing into a Place of Worship.	Riot in a Place of Worship.	Combination.	Perjury.	
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	9
..	..	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	16
..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	8
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
1	1	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	24
..	1	..	..	7	..	5	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	25
5	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	16
..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
..	..	1	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
1	1	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
..	..	..	..	3	..	1	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	16
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
1	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
1	..	1	1	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	21
..	..	..	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
2	..	..	..	12	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
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6	..	..	1	30	1	6	4	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	1	90
1	1	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	5	6	6	115	2	26	9	1	3	15	9	2	1	1	1	1	515

GENERAL TOTAL.

	OFFENCES.	Present Month.	Past Month.	Corresponding Month last Year.
Offences against the Person.	Homicide*	5	13	9
	Firing at the Person	7	8	8
	Conspiracy to Murder	..	..	1
	Rape	11	12	3
	Assault with Intent to commit a Rape	5	3	5
	Infanticide	16	8	8
	Abduction	4	3	5
	Assault on Police	1	1	3
	Aggravated Assault	34	44	49
	Assault endangering Life	17	18	23
	Assault with Intent to rob	1	..	..
	Assault on Bailiffs or Process-servers	..	1	2
	Cutting or maiming the Person	4	3	..
	Desertion of Children	6	13	7
	Concealing Birth	2	5	..
	Assault	1	1	..
Offences against Property.	Incendiary Fire	38	39	32
	Burglary and House-breaking	24	36	42
	Highway Robbery	8	12	7
	Robbery	18	15	40
	Taking and holding forcible Possession	1	2	1
	Cattle-stealing	70	72	99
	Illegal shearing of Sheep	13	14	12
	Killing, cutting, or maiming Cattle	7	8	14
	Sacrilege	1	2	1
	Attempt at Robbery	..	..	1
Offences affecting the Public Peace.	Demand or Robbery of Arms	18	14	13
	Appearing armed	5	4	8
	Faction Fight	..	1	..
	Riot	5	4	3
	Administering unlawful Oaths	6	3	4
	Threatening Notices or Letters	116	87	67
	Pound-breach	2	3	..
	Turning up Land	..	..	1
	Attacking Houses	26	25	47
	Rescuing Prisoners	..	1	1
	Resistance to Legal Process	9	8	2
	Illegal Meetings or Processions	1	3	..
	Levelling	3	7	2
	Injury to Property	15	26	19
	Firing into Dwellings	9	10	6
	Injury to Places of Worship	2	1	1
	Rescue of distrained Property	..	..	1
	Firing into a Place of Worship	1	..	..
	Riot in a Place of Worship	1	..	..
Other Offences.	Combination	1	..	..
	Coining	..	1	..
	Prison-breaking, or aiding the Escape of Prisoners	..	1	1
	Forgery, or passing forged Notes	..	..	2
	Uttering Base Coin	..	..	1
	Perjury	1	..	..
		515	532	551

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	Jan 1843.
House-breaking	..
Robbery	..
Cattle-stealing	4
Cattle-killing	..
Administering unlawful Oaths	..
Aggravated Assaults	..
Rape	..
Combination	..

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February 1843—*continued.*

DETAILS OF THE HOMICIDES CONTAINED IN THE PRECEDING RETURN.

COUNTY.	Date of Occurrence.	Name of Sufferer.	Offenders arrested, or otherwise.	NATURE of each HOMICIDE, and CAUSE assigned for its COMMISSION.
Wicklow . . .	1843. 29th January .	John Pugh . . .	Arrested .	Wilful Murder. The Deceased, it was reported, had a considerable Sum of Money in his House, and Robbery appears to have been the object of the Offenders.
Wexford . . .	6th February.	William Brien . .	Ditto . .	Brien had executed a Decree against his Assailants, and they through Revenge beat him so as to cause Inflammation of the Brain, of which he died.
Limerick . . .	10th ,,	John Carroll. . .	Absconded	Carroll received the Injury which killed him in a Dispute at a Hurling Match. Both the Deceased and his Assailant are Boys of 16 or 17 Years of Age.
Roscommon. . .	17th ,,	Thomas Stafford. .	Arrested .	The Injuries which caused Stafford's Death were inflicted in an Affray at a Dance, where opposing Factions met.
*Tipperary . .	22nd ,,	Patrick Kennedy .	Ditto . .	Death in this Case was the Result of a Blow of a Stone, which Kennedy received on the Head in an Affray. No other Cause assigned.
Tipperary . . .	24th ,,	Mary Dunn . . .	Unknown .	This Woman died suddenly from the Effects of Poison administered by some Person unknown. No Motive assigned.

* This Case was recorded in a previous Month as an "Assault endangering Life."

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RETURN OF OUTRAGES

REPORTED BY THE CONSTABULARY IN IRELAND,

For the Month of March 1843.

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March 1843.

COUNTIES.	OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.														OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.							
	Homicide.	Firing at the Person.	Administering Poison.	Rape.	Assault, with Intent to commit a Rape.	Infanticide.	Abduction.	Assault on Police.	Aggravated Assault.	Assault endangering Life.	Cutting or Maiming the Person.	Desertion of Children.	Concealing Birth.	Resistance to Revenue Officers.	Incendiary Fire.	Burglary and House-breaking.	Highway Robbery.	Robbery.	Cattle-stealing.	Illegal Shearing of Sheep.	Killing, Cutting, or Maiming Cattle.	Sacrilege.
Ulster:																						
Antrim	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Armagh	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	1	..
Cavan	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Donegal	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Down	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	4	..	..
Fermanagh	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	2	3	..	..	1
Londonderry	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Monaghan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Tyrone	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leinster:																						
Carlow	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	..
Dublin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	1
Kildare	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	2	..	..	..
Kilkenny	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	7	6	2	..
King's	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	5	..	1	..
Longford	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	..
Louth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Meath	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	2	2	2	..	..
Queen's	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
Westmeath	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	2	2	2	..
Wexford	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wicklow	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	..
Connaught:																						
Clare	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	2	1	..	1	..
Galway	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4	2	..	2	..	1	..	..
Leitrim	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Mayo	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Roscommon	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sligo	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	2	..	1	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	2	3	..
Munster:																						
Cork, County	1	..	..	2	..	3	..	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	3	3	2	..	11	..	..	..
Cork, City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Kerry	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Limerick, County	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	3	2	1	..	..	..	4	2	..	1	1	..	..	..
Limerick, City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tipperary	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	6	5	..	1	..	..	2	2	1	..	5	1	1	..
Waterford, County	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	..
Waterford, City	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	7	5	1	7	3	16	2	5	35	28	4	15	2	1	60	37	9	17	53	20	14	3

* For the Particulars of these Homicides *see* Page 32 of this Return. There have been in this Month Two Deaths resulting from Violence, formerly recorded as "Assaults endangering Life," which are not included in this Return.

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MARCH 1843.

OFFENCES.	Present Month.	Past Month.	Corresponding Month last Year.
Offences against the Person.			
Homicide*	7	5	4
Firing at the Person	5	7	5
Administering Poison	1	..	..
Rape	7	11	9
Assault with Intent to commit a Rape	3	5	2
Infanticide	16	16	12
Abduction	2	4	..
Assault on Police	5	1	5
Aggravated Assault	35	34	40
Assault endangering Life	28	17	17
Assault with Intent to Rob	..	1	..
Cutting or maiming the Person	4	4	2
Desertion of Children	15	6	10
Concealing Birth	2	2	1
Assault	..	1	1
Resistance to Revenue Officers	1	..	..
Offences against Property.			
Incendiary Fire	60	38	24
Burglary and House-breaking	37	24	48
Highway Robbery	9	8	5
Robbery	17	18	37
Taking and holding forcible Possession	..	1	2
Cattle-stealing	58	70	79
Illegal shearing of Sheep	20	13	16
Killing, cutting, or maiming Cattle	14	7	20
Sacrilege	2	1	4
Attempt at Burglary	..	..	1
Theft	..	..	1
Offences affecting the Public Peace.			
Demand or Robbery of Arms	14	18	5
Appearing armed	9	5	4
Riot	9	5	12
Administering unlawful Oaths	5	6	3
Threatening Notices or Letters	118	116	76
Pound-breach	3	2	1
Turning up Land	..	..	3
Attacking Houses	22	26	37
Resistance to Legal Process	0	9	2
Illegal Meetings or Processions	..	1	5
Levelling	4	3	2
Injury to Property	43	15	27
Firing into Dwellings	16	9	9
Injury to Places of Worship	1	2	..
Firing into a Place of Worship	..	1	..
Riot in a Place of Worship	..	1	..
Rescue of distrained Property	..	..	1
Attempt at Robbery of Arms	..	..	1
Other Offences.			
Combination	4	1	..
Party Demonstration	1	..	..
Prison breaking, or aiding the Escape of Prisoners	..	..	1
Forgery, or passing forged Notes	..	..	1
Perjury	..	1	..
Uttering Base Coin	..	..	1
	606	515	536

	Transporting Authority of Arms.	Appearing Armed.	Riot.	Administering unlawful Oaths.	Threatening Notices or Letters.	Pound-breach.	Attacking Houses.	Resistance to Legal Process.	Levelling.	Injury to Property.	Firing into Dwellings.	Injury to Places of Worship.	Combination.	Party Demonstrations.	Total Offences in each County.
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	11
	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
	1	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	19
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	13
	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	14
	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	1	16
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	25
	1	..	1	1	7	..	3	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	31
	1	..	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	18
	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	10
	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	18
	1	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	15
	..	..	..	..	0	..	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	30
	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	13
	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
	..	..	1	..	14	..	1	..	..	4	2	..	..	..	36
	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	18
	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	14
	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	13
	..	..	..	3	5	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	22
	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	23
	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	36
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	12
	4	3	1	1	15	1	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	46
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
	2	2	..	..	30	..	9	1	..	4	6	..	..	..	82
	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	13
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	14	9	9	5	118	3	22	9	4	43	16	1	4	1	606

In addition to the Outrages above enumerated, a Monthly Return is made to the Constabulary Office of Offences or alleged Offences brought before the Magistrates, and by them disposed of or sent for Trial at Assizes or Quarter Sessions. As some of these are of the same description as those specially reported, a List of Cases thus disposed of during the preceding Month is subjoined.

	Feb. 1843.
House-breaking	..
Robbery	..
Cattle-stealing	2
Cattle-killing	..
Administering unlawful Oaths	..
Aggravated Assaults	1
Rape	1
Combination	..

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March 1843—*continued.*

DETAILS OF THE HOMICIDES CONTAINED IN THE PRECEDING RETURN.

COUNTY.	Date of Occurrence.	Name of Sufferer.	Offenders arrested, or otherwise	NATURE of each HOMICIDE, and CAUSE assigned for its COMMISSION.
Wexford . . .	1843. 28th February	John Doyle . . .	Arrested .	Doyle's Death was caused by Injuries he received in an Affray respecting the disputed Possession of a House from which he had been forcibly ejected.
Cork	4th January .	Timothy M'Carthy .	Unknown .	M'Carthy's Death was the Result of a Beating he received in a drunken Affray. No other Cause has been assigned.
Limerick . . .	1st March .	Alexander Philips .	Absconded.	The Deceased received the Injuries which caused his Death in a Dispute at Card-playing. There was nothing premeditated in the Case.
Tipperary . . .	13th ,,	Thomas Tierney. .	Unknown .	Wilful Murder. Committed through Revenge, in consequence of the Deceased having sworn Informations against Two Men who were then in Gaol for having fired at him.
Roscommon. . .	15th ,,	Michael Brock . .	Ditto . .	Wilful Murder. The Deceased, who was but 17 Years of Age, was shot. His Father had taken Land from which the former Tenant had been ejected.
Cavan	21st ,,	Bridget M'Cabe . .	Absconded.	This Woman's Death was the Result of a Beating she had received from her Husband and Two Step-sons.
Londonderry . .	23rd ,,	John Richey. . .	Ditto . .	Richey's Death was caused by a Blow of a Stone he received in a Family Affray, relative to the Purchase of a Turkey-hen.
Leitrim. . . .	25th ,,	Alice Reynolds . .	Arrested .	Murdered by her Husband, who is insane. Jealousy is the alleged Cause.
Cork	25th ,,	Edmund Hayes . .	Principal arrested.	Hayes's Death was the Result of a Blow of a Stone he had received some weeks ago in a Quarrel. No previous misunderstanding existed between the Parties.

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